

WESTERLY

At the request of the state committee for relief in Ireland, special shows will be run at Bliven Opera house and the Central theatre Sunday afternoon and evening, and the proceeds will be devoted to alleviating the suffering of the women and children in Ireland. The managers of both theatres have announced that they were procuring a special program of moving pictures for the day and that the performances would be given afternoon and evening. The theatres all over Rhode Island are running shows for the same cause Sunday.

An attempt was made some time during Monday night to enter the second-hand furniture store of Albert Baker on Mechanic street. A window on the west side of the building was smashed and two large mirrors and a quantity of china was knocked to the floor and broken to pieces. It is thought that the crash of the mirrors and china frightened away the thieves. It is believed that an iron bar was used to force an entrance as the upper sash was smashed and the iron rods across the window were torn from their fastenings.

Last week an attempt was made to enter the plumbing establishment of Harvey and Harburt, off West Broad street. It is thought that whoever tried to enter these places were seeking plumbing and carpenter tools.

The Bradford W. C. T. U. met last with Mrs. John Merriam for the annual thank offering. Eight members and ten visitors were present, five of the visitors being from Ocean View W. C. T. U. After counting the offering, reports of the state convention were given by President Welles and Dr. Walter. Following the business meeting home made food was sold and tea and cake were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Merriam April 14th, when the study of civics will be taken up.

A large gathering of Westerly sportsmen attended the sportsmen's banquet

given Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock at a local restaurant, under the auspices of the South County Rod and Gun club. Preceding the supper, the members attended a Field and Stream picture at the opera house. Following the banquet, speeches were made by prominent fish and game men, and entertainment was furnished by two out-of-town magicians.

Local Lacrosse.

Charles Mullane of Stillman avenue, who has been employed in the office of Brown and Sharpe in Providence for the past few months has resigned and is pianist in the theatre at Willimantic.

An egg weighing four ounces and measuring 3 1/2 inches in circumference the long way and 2 3/4 the small way, was exhibited about town Wednesday by Thomas J. Hines, of Altos.

In the weekly billiard contest Tuesday evening, the Colonial club defeated the Cycle club, 42 to 32.

Surfman Harold Bliven and Cook Lewis H. Clarke, of Watch Hill Coast Guard Station No. 58, received their discharge from service Wednesday at noon. Mr. Clarke re-enlisted as surfman.

Cards have been received in town this week from Judge Herbert W. Rathbun who, in company with Mrs. Rathbun and Mr. and Mrs. Hadial Hall of New London are touring California.

The commissioner's sale of the Charles D. Chapman estate property at Burdett pond conducted by Eugene B. Pendleton, Tuesday brought \$550, the property being purchased by Miss Novogroch.

Miss Lillian Russell has returned to her home in Simsbury, Conn., after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. H. Goff of Moss street.

Local anglers are getting their rods and reels ready for the opening of the trout season, Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murray have returned to Westerly after spending the winter months in Miami, Fla.

James Delaney has returned to his

STONINGTON

There has been more activity in the velvet mill situation this week. The weavers and quite a few other employees have been out since the 15th of January. This was owing to the reduction of wages and because of the two-loom running system which had been installed, this latter factor being the primary cause of the weavers leaving work. Work had been slack at the plant and some men have been out of employment since the middle of December, 1920.

Things have been quiet and several attempts have been made to reach an adjustment. The men seem willing to stand for a cut in wages but do not want the two-loom system. Some of the men claim that they will prevent their taking care of an extra loom, though part of the one-loom labor was to be taken from them and given to other hands, and this the mill officials claimed, would lighten their task and allow the weaving of more yards of velvet.

Tuesday Clarence Wimpfheimer, representing the mill owner, came to Stonington and calls were made by him on a long list of men. During the day several conferences were held and they seemed to indicate that a settlement would be reached. There were indications of a compromise by each side.

Wednesday evening the weavers held a meeting in Muller's hall to talk over the situation. The proposition did not take with the men. Only 23 were to be taken in, a portion of these to run two looms if possible.

At the travel club's meeting Tuesday, April 5, the speaker will be Rev. Frederick A. MacDonald of Westerly and his topic "The Patriotism of Peace."

Mrs. Emma D. Kelley has returned after two weeks' stay with relatives in Warren, Mass.

Miss Mary E. Shilling has returned to Stonington after several months' visit with Henry W. Shilling in Cleveland, O.

The engagement of Miss Doris Palmer of Palmer, Mass., to Theodore Dewhurst of Stonington has been announced.

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The large fishing schooner Valentine, recently purchased from the Chesapeake Bros. of Fulton, Md., by Capt. Henry Langworthy of this village and Capt. Edward Davis of Westerly, came into the harbor Friday and lies at the north dock. The schooner will be overhauled and repaired and a new engine will be installed. The Valentine is one of the largest of the fishing schooners and will be used in deep sea fishing. Capt. Henry Langworthy will act as captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Williams, assisted by Mrs. Carolyn Andrews, entertained a party of local mariners and other friends at a breakfast dinner served at 6 bells one night recently. The guests were Capt. Joseph C. Sistrac, Capt. Charles Shirley, Capt. Oliver Beebe, Capt. William Wilcox, C. F. Wilbur and F. I. Rathbun.

Liberty council, D. of A., met Wednesday evening. After the business session a whist was held. Prizes were won by Mrs. Duncan MacDonald and Loren Murphy. The consolation award going to Mrs. Grace Bentley.

Mrs. T. C. Montgomery entertained a

Mrs. John W. Weeks



Wife of the new Secretary of War.

party of young people at her home on Riverside avenue recently in honor of her niece, Miss Dorothy Darling, of Minnesota. Those present were Miss Constance Hill, Miss Elizabeth Spicer, Mrs. Darling and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brown, Angus McQuarrie, Norbert Hill, Albert Patterson and George Wasserman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hay of Springfield are spending the week in town.

Miss Elaine Fowler has returned to her home in Wethersfield after a short visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ashby.

Prof. Everett Fitch of N. H. Haven is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Louise Nolan of Providence spent the Easter vacation with local friends.

Miss Muriel Bronson of New Haven spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brown.

James Brown spent Sunday in Putnam. Hadley Fitch of New London spent Sunday in Noank.

Henry Lang of Norwich was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. Walton Potter spent Monday in New London.

Owing to the alleged inadequate rains prescribed by the authorities, the electric plant of Stratford-on-Avon, England, has been permitted to run down, and it is feared that it will go to pieces at any moment and leave the town of Stratford in darkness. As the town is a literary mecca, with tourists in great numbers there all the time, such an incident might prove to be very inconvenient.

JEWETT CITY

Howard A. Elliott, of the state police department, in the interest of the commissioner on domestic animals, has been working in this town and Voluntown for a week-end and a half on the dog question. He states that Dr. F. H. Cole has killed four dogs with rabies from Jewett City. If dog owners will cooperate with the officials and strictly observe the law as to the care of their dogs, it will not be necessary to quarantine the towns. If a dog shows any sign of sickness, Dr. Cole should be notified at once, also Mr. Elliott, in Hartford. Unless the dog laws are rigidly observed, prosecutions will result, as he is conducting a vigorous campaign. In Voluntown, several dogs are under observation. Dog warden Clarence Kahn may appoint assistants who will have the same power as the dog warden and will act under his direction. Every owner of a dog of the age of six months or over, except dogs kept under a kennel license, must obtain a license, and the dog must wear a collar and tag. The dog warden may take into custody any dog not having a tag or plate on the collar; also any dog which shall be found roaming unattended, over the country not the property of the owner or keeper, or not in reasonable call or control, or which shall be found at large in the public highway not abutting on the property of the owner or keeper, not attended or not in reasonable call or control over the owner, keeper or his agent.

The fire company was called by still alarm early Wednesday morning to a chimney fire in the house next to Wolf's garage. Chemicals extinguished the blaze.

Work on the Slater avenue roadbed has been resumed this week.

The mercury went down to 23 degrees early Tuesday morning, and did not seem inclined to better the record much, all day. Wednesday morning there was no wind, but the mercury registered 22 degrees. Sunday, Dennis Barnett, who has charge of the Penn block, said it was the first time in twenty-three years that he had let the furnace fire go out on account of such warm weather at so early a date. He should have rapped on wood, for evidently the weather provider heard about it!

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. William Read were among those who were among those who were to the funeral of Mrs. Floyd Ray.

CENTRAL VILLAGE

Mrs. Ernest Tillinghast of Princeton, N. Y., has been visiting at the home of Frederick Tillinghast.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest French of Jewett City, former residents here, spent Sunday with local friends.

George D. Seguin and Miss Odna Seguin of Providence spent Sunday at their home.

Relatives from Providence spent Sunday at Frank Tillinghast's home.

Clarence Frances of Newport, R. I., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Frances.

Mrs. Arthur Wood of Moseup, formerly of this village, where she has been employed by the Central Worsted company, is at the St. Vincent hospital in Worcester, where she underwent a surgical operation.

Felix Wakeley has moved to the Dyer house, into the tenement recently vacated by Miss Josephine Armstrong.

The teachers' training class will meet this (Tuesday) evening with Mrs. Raymond Rider.

Mrs. Edwin Kennedy has returned after three months' stay with relatives in Providence.

Frederick Ludwig, Jr., remains ill at his home on Shepard Hill.

Mrs. David Black and infant daughter have returned to their home in Wauregan from the Day Kimball hospital.

Mrs. Mabel McNamara and little daughter of Mystic have been visiting Mrs. McNamara's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hirst.

Earl Collins, who is employed in Fall River, Mass., has been at his home for a few days.

Mrs. Edwin Rathbun of Norwich spent Sunday with Mrs. Stephen A. Lewis, her sister-in-law.

Frank Edgerton was a visitor in Hope Valley, R. I., Sunday.

William Broadhead of Camden, Me., spent Saturday and Sunday with his family.

Miss Eva Russell spent Sunday at her home in Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gorton of New London visited friends here Saturday, where Mr. Gorton formerly lived.

Charles Bragg has been a business visitor in New York.

Miss Beatrice Seguin, who teaches in Bristol, is spending the Easter vacation at her home.

Mrs. Samuel Collins and Miss Ethel Collins have been visiting in Norwich at the home of Moses Ballou.

Miss Edna Lillibridge has returned from a few days' visit with friends in Canterbury.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keene of Providence have been visiting at George Potvin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clarke of Norwich visited Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tillinghast and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Clarke.

Some steel hairpins are worth \$49.00 a pound.

Use of Mica.

The stuff we call mica has been used since very ancient times in India for many odd purposes. Washermen employed it to give a sparkle to cloth. It is the material out of which "unbreakable" lamp chimneys are manufactured and is used for windows and glazing material for pottery and for the backs of mirrors. Artists in India utilize it largely for paintings.

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How to Treat

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sours, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well. Artificial digestants are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try taking a few grains of Epsom salt instead of any other drug and a few drops of diluted Magnesia and take a teaspoonful of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness or gas or pain. Diluted Magnesia, the powder or tablet form, never liquid or milk, is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and the most efficient form of Magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.



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J. F. MARCH

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MANSFIELD DEPOT

Miss Mildred Garvey of Willimantic was the guest of Mrs. Elmer Botham Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

On account of the teacher's illness, the winter term of Edwin Reynolds Memorial school closed Wednesday, March 23.

Miss Ethel Lombardy Klein is spending her spring vacation in a party trip to Washington, D. C., Atlantic City, N. J., and New York city.

Misses Ruth and Ella McCollum of the Connecticut College for Women are at home for the spring vacation.

Marshall Porter of Hartford spent Easter at his parents' home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Austin of Fort Point, Norwich, were guests Easter of Postmaster and Mrs. Hana.

Easter Sunday brought a family reunion to the Tilden home. Mrs. K. L. Dimock of Coventry and R. W. Tilden and family of Norwich visiting their sisters, Misses Augusta and Mary Tilden.

Easter services at Dunham Memorial church were well attended. Pulpit and choir platforms were decorated with beautiful potted plants. Miss Ella McCollum played pleasing organ selections and, best of all, the good Easter cheer, the offerings of the day, all devoted to temporal and spiritual needs of children everywhere, were the largest on record for any Sunday.

Midweek hour of devotion and the monthly church meeting today (Thursday), March 31, 2 p. m., at the home of the Misses Tilden.

Monthly C. E. consecration and business meetings Sunday, April 3, at 7:30 p. m.

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POETRY

WAITING.
Serenely, I fold my hands and wait.
Nor care for wind, nor tide, nor sea;
I have no more against time or fate,
For let my own small come to me.
I stay my heart, I make delays,
For what avail this eager pace?
I stand amid the eternal ways,
And what is mine shall know my fate.
Asleep, awake, by night or day,
The friends I seek are seeking me;
No wind can drive my bark astray,
Nor change the tide of destiny.
What matter if I stand alone?
I wait with joy the coming years;
My heart shall reap where it hath sown,
And garner up its fruit of years.
The waters know their own and draw
The brook that springs in wonder
So flows the good with equal law
Unto the soul of pure delights.
—John Burroughs.

MOON-MOTH.
Beyond the sun, beside a crystal sea,
Shine palaces of marble, agate, jade
Flare like a sheaf of savage flowers and
A splendor on the waves that only night
could fade.
And for her nameless sins and cruelties
Murders of love-mad men and lusts and
Her sentence fell and she was swept
away
From flaming poms and crimes and
royal sway,
Hurled from the joy of life, rapt from the
light of day.
Yet being fairest and loveliest
Of any in a woman's body dress,
Fate banished not her beauty from the
earth,
Only her evil happiness and mirth
And left her living dead, doomed to
eternal death.
Terrible thus, but when returning night
Drowns with a purple torrent all the
light,
She rises woman high and spreads her
wing.
A rare, unparagoned, unearthly thing,
Beyond the dream of joy, or grief's
imagining.
Her body, like the heart of a white rose,
Shines in the petals of her wings and
glows;
Her plumage, azure, lilac, marigold—
Wide on the dark deliciously unfold
As any rainbow bright, as any glacier
—Eden Philpotts, in the London Echo.

HUMOR OF THE DAY.
"Why are you idle?"
"I want \$10 a day for working, judge."
"Well, I can't give you \$10 but I'll give
you ten cents."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"He—They say there's no fool like an
old fool."
She—Yes, I suppose it worries you to
be getting old.—Boston Transcript.

"What'll I be if there's another
war?"
"What'll I be? Better ask me where
I'll be."—Home Sector.

"What are you reading about?"
"The ship of state."
"Oh!"
"Senate news. I see they've picked out
a steering committee."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Heaven, George!" gasped his wife.
"You nearly hit that man!"
"I know it," retorted the man at the
wheel, "but I haven't time to go back now
and try again."—Ohio Motorist.

"How long are the legs of the
world's tallest man?"
Tom—How should I know?
Bill—All the way down to the ground,
at least.—Boys' Life.

Sentimental Smith—Old friends are the
best friends are they not?
Harriet Hardfax—They are not. They
have an unerring memory for your sins
and your family secrets, and they tell
'em.—Boston Globe.

A sea captain, holding a glass of fine
juice approvingly up to the light, said:
"Navies are different today from what
they used to be. A man was talking
an old sailor. The sailor said:
"Yes, sir, my boss was in the navy
too."
"In the navy, was he?" said the man.
"What was his official capacity, may I
ask?"
"Four to five quarts, sir," said the
old sailor.—Washington Star.

Dear Mrs. Flaxman—I am a brunette and
have lately been becoming more and more
so. Prescribe something for the face.
Answer—Try soap.—Princeton Tiger.

Flabush—His wife spend a great deal
of her time in her kitchenette, I understand.
Bensonhurst—Well, she looks like an
industrious woman.
Flabush—Industrious, indeed! She's got
three looking glasses in it—
lookers Statesman.

There are a great many human in-
teresting stories to be found in the "want
advertisements."
"Well!"
"For instance, here's one in which
Mary says: 'Come home, John, I've sold
the people.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

THE KALEIDOSCOPE
Lotteries originated in ancient Rome
and gradually spread through Italy.
Only one selling vessel, and that a
small yacht, was launched in England
last year.
The increased cost of living is heavier
in Finland, where food prices are now
1,934 per cent. higher than in 1914.
Copper composed and memorized the
whole of his humorous masterpiece, John
Gillies Riddle, during a sleepless night.
When King Edward went to India
Prince of Wales in 1875, the cost of the
trip, including presents to native princes,
totalled more than \$1,500,000.
Britain's total national expenditure
during the world war—1914 to 1918—
actually exceeded that during the two
and a quarter centuries between 1633 and
1814.
The Bank of England once planned to
replace paper bank notes with thin sheets
of aluminum, but could find no process
for satisfactorily printing on the alumi-
num.
An old portrait in oils sold recently in
an English town for a few dollars is re-
ported by a London expert as a genuine
portrait of Shakespeare, probably con-
temporaneous.
In a recent speech in the British house
of commons one of the members declared
that he had once been a tramp and fre-
quently had been obliged to sleep in the
workhouse.
Laughing gas was discovered in 1778,
and in 1800 Sir Humphrey Davy suggested
that it might be used in surgery, al-
though it was not successfully employed
as an anesthetic till nearly half a cen-
tury later.
Switzerland is believed to have a greater
proportion of deaf mutes than any
other civilized nation, about 245 to each
100,000 residents, compared with 75
elsewhere in Europe and 68 in America.
It is contrary to the traditions of the
British house of commons for either cards
or billiards to be played within its pre-
cincts. Members who require indoor
recreations are expected to content them-
selves with chess or draughts.
Michigan now ranks fourth among the
states in the production of paper. More
than \$150,000,000 is invested in the in-
dustry in that state and the paper mills
employ more than 11,000 men and women
whose wages total in excess of \$18,000,000
a year.
During the first 15 months of their ex-
istence the 30 public employment offices
established by the Dominion government
in the principal cities of Canada suc-
ceeded in placing 608,600 workers in jobs
without cost to either employers or work-
men.

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